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**MILWAUKEE COUNTY EMS  
ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY  
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS  
FOR THE PARAMEDIC COURSE**

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**Policy:** Milwaukee County EMS will grant admission to a *qualified* candidate for paramedic education.

**Eligibility Process:**

- A standardized test is administered four times per year, during the months of January, March, June, and September. Exact dates will be posted annually.
- Potential candidates for admission are required to be registered for standardized testing one month prior to the testing date.
- Faculty interviews with potential candidates will be conducted in February, April, July, and October of each calendar year.
- Candidates will be notified of eligibility for admission as Milwaukee County EMS interviews are completed.

**Milwaukee County EMS Paramedic Education Admissions Rating Scale:**

Area of Evaluation	Points Awarded
1. Health Occupation Aptitude Percentile:	
85 or greater	3
55 – 85	2
25 – 54	1
Less than 25	0
2. Faculty Interview	
Recommended highly	2
Recommended	1
Do not recommend	(-) 4
<b>Total Points</b>	
➤ The minimum subtotal of points required for an interview is 1. ➤ A minimum of 1 point must be earned from the Health Occupation Aptitude exam.	

**Admission Requirements:**

To gain admission to the paramedic class, a candidate must meet the following criteria:

- Current licensure to at least State of Wisconsin EMT-Basic level
- Obtain an admission rating scale of 2(two) points or greater
- Must have a high school diploma or equivalent